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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT


--52. The method of claim 43, wherein *Glinus lotoides* is administered orally at a daily dosage level ranging from about 50 mg/kg to about 200 mg/kg body weight of the patient.--

--53. The method of claim 43, wherein *Glinus lotoides* is administered intravenously at a daily dosage level ranging from about 10 mg/kg to about 50 mg/kg body weight of the patient.--

REMARKS

Upon entry of the present amendment, claims 2-53 will be pending in this application. Claims 2-53 are fully supported by the specification and no new matter has been added. Please charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Order Account No. 11-0855.

Respectfully submitted,



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